



# COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY JOB CLASS SPECIFICATION

## WELDER III

Job Number: 20000447

Job Code: 11070V161216

Job Group: 1100 - SKILLED TRADES

Job Established: 06/16/1982

Job Revised: 12/16/2016

Grade: 11 Salary (MIN - MID):

\$13,581-\$17,990 - Hourly

\$2,206.92-\$2,923.38 - 37.5 Hr. Monthly Salary

\$2,354.04-\$3,118.28 - 40 Hr. Monthly Salary

Special Entrance Rate:

\$16,731 - Hourly

\$2,718.80 - 37.5 Hr. Monthly Salary

\$2,900.00 - 40 Hr. Monthly Salary

### PROBATIONARY PERIOD:

This job has an initial and promotional probationary period of 6 months. For additional information refer to: <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/kar/101/001/325.htm>.

**CHARACTERISTICS OF THE JOB:** *Characteristics of a job are general statements indicating the level of responsibility and discretion of positions in that job classification. These are not intended to be an exhaustive list.*

Supervises employees in and performs skilled acetylene and/or electrical arc welding; and performs other duties as required.

### MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

#### **EDUCATION:**

NONE

#### **EXPERIENCE:**

Must have four years of welding experience.

#### **Substitute EDUCATION for EXPERIENCE:**

Vocational or technical school training in welding or a related field will substitute for the experience on a year-for-year basis.

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NONE

#### **SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS (AGE, LICENSURE, REGULATION, ETC.):**

NONE

**EXAMPLES OF DUTIES OR RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE JOB CLASSIFICATION:** *Examples of duties or responsibilities are not to be construed as describing what the duties or responsibilities of any position shall be and are not to be construed as limiting the appointing authority's ability to assign, or otherwise alter the duties and responsibilities of a position. This is not intended to be an exhaustive list.*

Performs various kinds of metal construction work as needed. Uses acetylene and electrical arc as required. Must be familiar with

acetylene welding, cutting of metals and finding the proper fluxes to fuse various metals together. Orders various metals, welding rods, fluxes and keeps inventory of materials. Repairs high pressure boilers, piping, hot water heaters, tanks and other pressure vessels to comply with the American Society for Mechanical Engineers testing laboratory. Identifies the following materials: cast iron, steels, stainless steel, nickel, alloys, copper, brass, bronze, aluminum, magnesium and die castings. Keeps simple records and make reports.

**UNIQUE PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:**

Work involves risks inherent to welding and the use of acetylene and electrical arc.

**TYPICAL WORKING CONDITIONS:** *Incumbents in the job will typically perform their job duties under these conditions.*

**ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:**

Upon appointment, employees in this class may be required to maintain a valid driver's license and required to drive a licensed vehicle. This status may be necessary for the length of time in this class. If this is necessary it will be listed in the specific position description for that position. Applicants and employees in this job title may be required to submit to a drug screening test and background check. Applicants and employees in positions which perform job duties that may require contact with offenders in the custody or supervision of the Department of Corrections or with youth in the care, custody, or supervision of the Department of Juvenile Justice must meet qualifications pursuant to the federal Prison Rape Elimination Act, 28 C.F.R.115.17 and 115.317.

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